LIGHT REFLECTANCE VALUE



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Light Reflectance Value (LRV) is the total quantity of visible and usable light that is reflected by a surface (e.g. flooring, walls, furniture, ...) in all directions and at all wavelengths when illuminated by a light source.

LRV is a measurement that indicates how much light a surface **reflects**, and conversely how much it **absorbs**. LRV runs on a scale from 0% to 100%, 0% being a perfectly absorbing surface (black) up to 100% being a perfectly reflective surface (white). Additional to the colour of the surface, structure and gloss are factors that influence the light reflectance value.

The LRV certificates of all modulyss® products are awarded by **CSTB** which executes the measurement according to the **EN 410** and **EN 14500** standard.

The **L-value**, which is the colour depth, is used to calculate visual contrast. However this should not be mixed up with the LRV as the L-value is significantly higher. This is tested in accordance with the **EN ISO 11664-4** standard.

Light Reflectance Values

COLOR	LRV	L
001	17	48
102	8	34
148	5	26
316	3	19
322	5	26
432	4	22
504	4	25
609	5	26
662	7	32
822	3	21
832	3	21
915	6	29
930	5	27
950	< 3	< 20
966	< 3	< 20
991	4	23
990	0	0

WHITE&BLACK			
COLOR	LRV	L	
001	17	48	
990	0	0	

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